IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA, SOUTHERN DIVISION

| MATTHEW OKONKWO,          | ) |                  |
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| Petitioner,               | ) |                  |
|                           | ) | CIVIL ACTION NO. |
| v.                        | ) | 1:07cv1062-MHT   |
|                           | ) |                  |
| UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, | ) |                  |
|                           | ) |                  |
| Respondent.               | ) |                  |
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It is ORDERED that defendant United States of America show cause, if any there be, in writing by January 16, 2008, as to why petitioner Matthew Okonkwo's motion to stay deportation proceedings (Doc. No. 11) should not be granted.

ORDER

DONE, this the 7th day of January, 2008.

/s/ Myron H. Thompson
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE